

MEMORANDUM

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City Hall.

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TO:

Mayor and Council

Toby H. Futrell, City Manager

Michael C. McDonald, Acting Chief of Staff

FROM:

Jesus M. Olivares, Director

Parks and Recreation Department

DATE:

July 15, 2003

SUBJECT: Butler Field Parking Lots

This is to inform you that the parking lot along Toomey Road that was built for Butler and Wright Fields has been posted for towing. This parking lot serves South Austin Little League, AISD's girls fast pitch during games and practice along with other park patrons accessing the greenbelt and Zilker Park. In addition, it is the site where Zachary Scott patrons park to go to performances and most recently it is used in cooperation with Capital Metro for a temporary site for the Downtown Dillo.

The lot has always had a high usage and currently, with the high volume restaurants along Barton Springs, the school/restaurant on Toomey Road and the concerts held at the area restaurants, the lot has become an overflow parking lot for private, for profit, businesses. One establishment, without parking, uses the lot for its patrons.

Some of the area business owners along Toomey Road and Barton Springs solicited the Parks Board to limit the use of the parking to its intended purpose. They felt it was not appropriate for a business to be able to use public land and conduct private business without meeting building codes, to include having the appropriate parking spaces. These business owners stated that if this was allowed, they too wanted to use public land for future expansions of their businesses. The Parks Board recommended to the Director to place signage throughout the lot indicating that the parking was for park patrons, South Austin Little League, girls fast pitch, the Dillo and Zachary Scott only. The signs have been posted and towing will begin this coming weekend. In the interim, warnings will be issued to those unauthorized users.

Neighborhood, Planning and Zoning Department is working with the area business owners to address the business that is not in compliance with City Codes.

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The Parks and Recreation Department is monitoring its public parking lots, especially in the downtown district to ensure there is adequate use for park patrons. We have addressed this issue on an as needed basis only.

If you need additional information, please let me know.

Jesus M. Olivares, Director

Parks and Recreation Department

Attendance Sheet for Parks Board Members October 2002 to September 2003

	October 8, 2002	October 22, 2002	November 12, 2002 RETREAT	November 26, 2002	December 10, 2002	January 14, 2003	January 28, 2003	February 11, 2003	February 25, 2003	March 11, 2003	March 25, 2003	April 8, 2003	April 22, 2003	May 13, 2003	May 27, 2003	June 10, 2003	June 24, 2003	July 8, 2003	July 22, 2003	August 12, 2003	August 26, 2003	September 9, 2003	September 23, 2003		Total Days Absent
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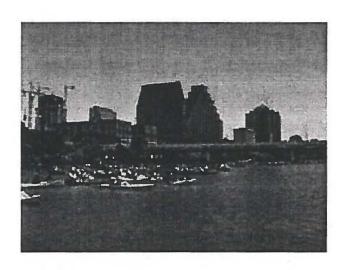
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JULY 2003 *75th Anniversary Celebrate Aquatics

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July 2	Maverick Canasta	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 3	New Agers	474-5921	Seniro Activity Center
July 7	Computer Class Registraion	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 10	Cruise News	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 11	All Comer's Track Meets	480-3043	Regan High School
July 11	TPEA #149	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 13	Barbecue and Tea Dance	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 16	Accordion Association	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 17	New Agers ICA RSEA	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 18	All Comer's Track Meets	480-3043	Regan High School
July 18	NARFE	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 18	Temple Civic Theatre	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 21	Line Dance Class	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 21	St. Peter & the Vacation	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 24	Telephone Pioneers	474-5921	Senior Activity Center

July 25	New Comer's Bridge	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 26	Tx. International Apple Festival	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 29	Round Rock Express Baseball Game	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 30	Gaslight Theater, Shiner,TX	474-5921	Senior Activity Center
July 31	Summer Jam 2003	472-6838	Rosewood

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